

Outdoor activities like hunting and fishing are important tradition in our area of New Jersey.

John is a strong defender of second amendment rights, and wants to ensure that Congress pursues our shared goals of habitat conservation and preserving sportsmen's rights. As of Member of Congress, John is excited to work in a bipartisan way to protect the rights of hunters and fishers, and all who enjoy the outdoors.

John has cosponsored the Flexibility in Rebuilding American Fisheries Act. The bill amends the Magnuson-Stevens Act. Currently, under the Magnuson-Stevens Act, fishery rebuilding plans must meet a rigid 10-year deadline to rebuild fishing stocks to unprecedented levels. This timetable has led to consistent cuts to some fisheries, hurting fishing communities economically. The legislation John cosponsored would allow more flexibility in the process so that unrealistic quotas are not implemented to the detriment of our fishermen and New Jersey's shore economy.

John is an active member of the Sportsmen's Caucus. This caucus is the first line of defense in protecting America's outdoor traditions. Also, John regularly meets with his Sportsmen's Advisory Committee to discuss the issues relating to all hunters and anglers across the district.